

REMARKS

In view of the following remarks and above amendments, Applicant respectfully requests that the Office forward this application to issuance.

5 **Interview Summary**

Applicant's attorney, Michael Colby, wishes to thank Examiner Nicholas Augustine for a telephone interview on August 15th, 2007.

During the interview, Applicant's attorney and the Examiner discussed differences between the Blaze reference and some of the claims. Applicant's attorney submitted a potential amendment to clarify features of some of the independent claims in order to expedite prosecution. Applicant's attorney understood the Examiner to consider independent claim 50 allowable without amendment and the other independent claims allowable over the art of record based on the above amendments.

15 Applicant respectfully requests a phone call if the Examiner thinks there are any further issues that might delay issuance.

Rejections under § 102

Claims 1-9, 12-18, 20, 21, 23-27, 29-37, 41-46, and 50-56 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(a) as being anticipated by Blaze Software (Blaze Tray Audio) ("Blaze") found at:

<http://web.archive.org/web/20020202140332/www.trayaudio.com/index.html>

Rejections under § 103

25 Claims 10, 11, 19, 22, 28, 38-40, and 47-49 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Blaze in view of GustoSoft ("GustoSoft") found at:

<http://web.archive.org/web/20021130001235/http://gustosoft.com/>

Response to 102 and 103 Rejections

As noted in the Interview Summary above, Applicant understands the Examiner to consider all of the pending claims allowable over the art of record. If the Examiner changes his mind or there are any other issues that may delay allowance, Applicant respectfully requests a telephone call to address the issues.

Conclusion

All of the claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, Applicant requests that the Office issue a Notice of Allowability. If the Office's next anticipated action is to be anything other than issuance of a Notice of Allowability, Applicant respectfully requests a telephone call for the purpose of scheduling an interview.

Respectfully Submitted,

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